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Patent Applicant: Michael	) Attention: Applications Branch
Serial No.: 10/039,026	)
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For: Tunable or adjustable liner for Selectively absorbing sound energy And related methods	Examiner: unassigned ) )

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## SUBMISSION OF MISSING PARTS

Sir:

In response to the Notice To File Missing Parts Of NonProvisional Application (Form PTO-1533) dated January 31, 2002 in the above-identified application, Applicant submits herewith all missing parts, namely, a signed Declaration And Power Of Attorney in accordance with 37 CFR 1.63. A copy of Form PTO-1533 is also enclosed.

Please charge the \$130.00 surcharge to Deposit Account No. 50-0568 (a duplicate of this sheet is enclosed). If any other fees are due in connection with the filing of this response, including any fee for a required extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136(a) for which Applicant hereby petitions, please charge all necessary fees to the deposit account.

Respectfully submitted,

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## Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is missing. A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
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